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on our separate ways. We were both somewhat surprised to see each other. I went to the NEWS and worked at getting the paper ready to go to the printer before noon. The final moments were not at all painful -- I corrected one or two typos in my stories and did a few cut lines and that was that. At 1145 AM, the paper was on the way to Pawtucket. I watered the flower box and then spent the afternoon resting. At about 9:30 AM I telephoned WSP and got the report on RTP. No new information from what I had heard from Marion Swindell - burst last night. Dad reported that he had tried to call me "fourteen times" yesterday. I reported that I was at the NEWS all day. HCRP and cousin Peg drove down to Hershey at dawn on Monday -- spent the entire day -- I called HCRP at around 9 PM today and she reported that yesterday was an awful day and that at the end of the day she was more tired than she had ever been in her entire life. Peg waited from 8 AM to almost 4 PM before they had any news about RTP. HCRP reported that they both took turns breaking down -- "one minute I was Calming down Ann and the next minute she was Calming me down." Peg stayed over (at Bob Atkinson's, which is where HCRP also stayed) and drove the HCRP car home in matin. Today, John and Marion drove down and drove HCRP back. Such an ordeal. Ervin Clubb called me into his jewelry store today and was passing by the Liberty Bank and asked for a report. Very nice of him. Twice this evening Jean Colville has called me: once to tell me that her father has the Moses family bible and to tell me that the Historical Society can borrow it whenever we want to; and once to ask me what she should serve at a luncheon at the end of October. Faythe also called me, in a rage. It seems that her building superintendent has removed her old bathtub (1904) and replaced it with a "wading pool that is about 3 feet long and 4 inches deep." Such phone calls. As I was on the phone with Faythe, three motorcyclists passed down Park Place and I believe one of them was JVB -- I believe I heard his two-beep horn signal.